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Grant, J., 12, Foster-lane, Chesham.  
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Niblett, J., "White Lion," Bristol.  
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Richards, E. P., Cardiff.  
Smithers, W. H., 102, Upper North-street, Brighton.  
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Davies, Rev. S., Grange, Swansea.  
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Forshaw, Mrs., Nantwich.  
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## DANGER OF RETURNED SHOP-FRONTS.

WITH reference to the fall of a new corner house mentioned last week, the following passage from Professor Hocking's late "Guide,"<sup>1</sup> is *appropos*, and may at this moment make some impression. We have alluded to the evil in question before now. "The very common practice in all large towns of omitting or of removing the outer walls throughout the ground-floor story on two or more of the sides of corner houses, to admit of returned shop fronts, is so fraught with danger, as to make it matter of wonder to all who know upon what a thread such buildings hang, that casualties from this cause are not of more frequent occurrence. Commonly a doorway is made upon a canted or diagonal line cutting off the corner where two fronts intersect, and leaving the quoin or outer angle of the building above overhanging a void; whilst the support given to the breasted pillars placed under the walls of the upper stories is generally either slight fix story-posts, or even slighter iron columns, and which supports are not unfrequently placed over openings in the walls below, and almost always over timber in some form or other, in situations and under circumstances most liable to induce decay. Plastering and joiners' fittings cover up the parts upon the soundness of which so much is made to depend, and consequently danger will hardly appear unless accident develop it in such manner as to attract attention in time to avert it, until the wretched fabric falls upon the heads of the indwellers, and of those persons who may be otherwise within reach of the ruin."

Connected in some degree with the practice of removing outer or front walls at the street level, and substituting mere posts as stilts to the walls above, is that of cutting away chimney-breast from side and party walls for the same purpose of fitting the ground-floor story of a house for a shop, and, as commonly performed, it is both destructive and dangerous. The overhanging upper parts of the breast and the superimposed chimney-shaft are too commonly left dependent upon inadequate or otherwise improper supports, and almost invariably the wall from which the breast projects, and which it overhangs, is pulled over to one side, and so as to render the early condemnation of the wall imperative, whilst it is always to be considered in a greater or less degree dangerous.

In the metropolitan district the operation of the Metropolitan Buildings Act has stopped the practice of cutting away chimney-breasts without proper precautions, and to some extent the stiling of buildings upon posts is checked, but it is not stayed: the operations to that effect upon corner buildings being almost free from control.

Another modern practice which brings with it a hitherto almost unchecked source of danger is the use of bearing beams and girders of cast-iron. Accidents from this source are of frequent occurrence, and as the practice extends itself daily, the danger is, of course, increasing. Used in breasted pillars to carry walls, and in story-posts, cast-iron is a dangerous ingredient in the structure of a building in the event of fire, because of its liability to break when dashed with water, as well as to soften and even to fuse when acted upon by intense heat; but cast-iron is less dangerous, nevertheless, in breasted pillars and story-posts, which are not generally exposed to convulsive action, than in beams and girders to carry floors upon which movement takes place."

<sup>1</sup> A Guide to the proper Construction of Buildings in Towns. Murray, Abchurch-lane-street.